

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116 -
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE - EXAMINING GROUP 2143**

Attorney's Docket No. 042253/205408

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Joel E. Short et al.
 Appl. No.: 09/693,511
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 For: LOCATION-BASED IDENTIFICATION
 FOR USE IN A COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK

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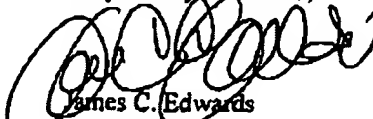
PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

- This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of TWO (2) months to respond to the Office Action dated July 9, 2004.
 - Applicant is ☒ a small entity; ☐ other than a small entity.
 - Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):
- | | <u>Fee For Other
Than Small Entity</u> | <u>Fee for
Small Entity</u> |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> two months | \$450.00 | \$225.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> three months | \$1,020.00 | \$510.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> four months | \$1,590.00 | \$795.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> five months* | \$2,160.00 | \$1,080.00 |

*Cannot be used to exceed six-month statutory limit for response to an Official Action.

- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.
☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for the extension fee (\$225.00)
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<p align="center">REQUEST For CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL</p> <p align="center">Address to: MAIL STOP RCE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. BOX 1450 ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450</p> <p>(Revised 09/2004)</p>	Application Number 09/693,511
	Filing Date October 20, 2000
	First Named Inventor: Joel E. Short et al.
	Art Unit: 2143
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<p>This is a request for <u>Continued Examination (RCE)</u> under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application.</p>	

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

- a. ☐ Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.
- i. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on
- ii. ☐ Other
- b. ☒ Enclosed
- i. ☒ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavits(s)/Declarations(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS); of cites listed on PTO Form 1449
- iv. ☐ Other

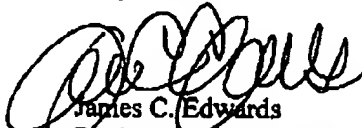
2. Miscellaneous

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of ___ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)
- b. ☐ Other

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3. Fees The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.
- a. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiencies, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 16-0605.
- i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)
(\$790.00 large entity; \$395.00 small entity) (\$395.00)
- ii. ☒ Extension of Time Fee (37 C.F. R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17) (\$225.00)
- iii. ☐ Other
- b. ☐ Check in the amount of \$___ enclosed

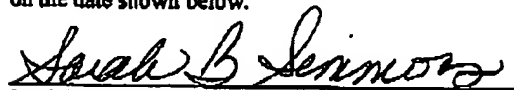
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